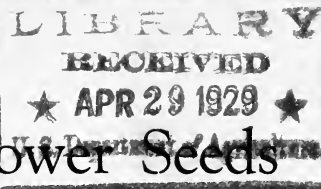
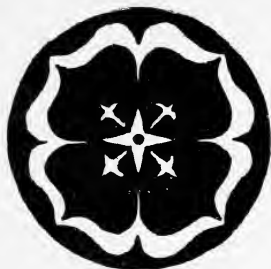


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California Wild Flower Seeds



LESTER ROWNTREE & CO.

CARMEL, CALIFORNIA
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List No. 5

Supersedes all previous lists.

Included in List No. 5 are species in limited quantities from the Pacific North-West and from other western localities outside California.

As an aid to the grower we have in some cases added the species habitat. When no habitat is noted the plant is found throughout California. Plants "widely distributed" are native also outside the Pacific Coast region. Altitude is given as an indication of hardiness. We have stated plants to be hardy in other localities only when we have had specific reports to that effect. We will appreciate receiving such reports on the adaptability of California native plants to various climates and countries.

Heights given are average. Plants are perennial unless otherwise indicated. California annuals are best in effect when massed and are well adapted for use in eastern gardens, where they should be sown as soon as frost is over. Most of them require good drainage, light soil, shallow sowing and little water when established.

Note special quantity prices for certain species of wild flower seed for naturalizing.

We offer two attractive gift envelopes: one containing a seed mixture of eighteen annual wild flowers (with list of names and planting directions), and the other a mixture of California poppies, native and hybrid, in brilliant colors. Both are suitable for eastern or western gardens. Price 50 cents per packet.

We have also a seed mixture of six tall or six low annual wild flowers (with list of names and planting directions) for the same conditions. Price 25 cents per packet.

Lester Rowntree & Co. will neither personally collect nor handle native bulbs or plants, dug from wild stands for commercial sale. All seeds listed in quantity are commercially grown and an increasing number of other species are obtained from plants grown under cultivation. We do most of our collecting personally, taking care never to exhaust a stand of native plants, and make a point of scattering seed in flowerless places. In the course of our collecting we use every means to rescue wild flower seed from real estate and agricultural developments, cattle and insects. We are working in cooperation with the conservation societies, our motive, to preserve the natural flora of the Pacific Coast.

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- Abronia latifolia*, Yellow Sand Verbena — Trailing. Fragrant. Coastal.
- Abronia maritima* — Trailing. Flowers dark red. Southern coast.
- Abronia umbellata*, Pink Sand Verbena — Trailing. Coastal.
- Acacia greggii* — Thorny shrub, 10 ft. Small yellow flowers. Contorted seed-pods. Desert washes.
- Acacia spicata*, var. *arguta*, Baneberry — 2 ft. Attractive foliage. Small white flowers. Raceme of large scarlet berries. Wooded mountain slopes to 8000 ft.
- Adenostoma fasciculatum*, Greasewood, Chamise — Evergreen spreading shrub, 5 ft. Small needle-like leaves. White spiraea-like bloom. Mountain slopes to 5000 ft.
- Adenostoma sparsifolium*, Ribbon-wood, Yerba del Pismo — Decorative evergreen shrub, 12 ft. Red shredding bark. Heath-like tufted foliage. Mountain slopes to 6000 ft.
- Agoseris grandiflora* — Annual, 12 in. Large yellow dandelion-type flower.
- Allium acuminatum* — Bulb, 8 in. Umbel of many deep rose-colored flowers. Dry interior hills.
- Allium hyalinum*, var. *hickmanii* — Bulb, 4 in. Cluster of small white pink-veined flowers. Endemic to Monterey county. 50 cents per packet.
- Allium peninsulare*, var. *crispum* — Bulb, 10 in. Umbel of attractive rose-purple flowers.
- Amsinckia douglasiana*, Fiddle-neck — Annual, 2 ft. Curling spike of small orange flowers.
- Anaphalis margaritacea*, Pearly Everlasting — 18 in. Gray foliage. Pearl-white to rose-pink flowers. Sierra Nevada Mountains to 6500 ft. and north to Alaska.
- Anemone globosa* (*A. multifida*), Red Anemone — 12 in. Silky foliage. Rose-red flowers. From Colorado Rocky Mountains.
- Anemone tuberosa* (*A. sphenophylla*), Canyon Anemone — 8 in. Flowers pink in shade, white, pink-tipped, in sun. Roots prefer proximity of rocks. Mountain sides from 3000 to 6000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Antirrhinum glandulosum* — 2 ft. Bushy plant. Pink and yellow bloom. Southern mountain slopes to 4000 ft.
- Antirrhinum strictum*, Climbing Snapdragon — Annual. Slender twining stem. Violet-purple flower. Near central and southern coast.
- Aquilegia truncata*, Wild Columbine — 3 ft. Scarlet and yellow flower. Shaded canyons.
- Arbutus menziesii*, Madrono — Evergreen tree, 50 ft. Red to vermilion bark. Magnolia-like foliage. Clusters of white, waxy, urn-shaped flowers. Red berries. Mountains of northern California to 4000 ft. and north to British Columbia.
- Arctostaphylos* — Manzanita. Evergreen shrubs with crooked, dark red branches, urn-shaped flowers and variously colored berries. They form an important part of the chaparral or shrubby growth which clothes the slopes of the California mountains.
- A. andersonii* — 10 ft. Large gray-green leaves. Crowded terminal clusters of white flowers. Large russet-brown berries. Coastal mountains of central California.
- A. bicolor* — 6 ft. Shining dark green leaves. Rose-red flowers. Dark red berries. Southern California.
- A. canescens* — 5 ft. Gray leaf. Pinkish-white bloom. Rose-red berries. Coastal.
- A. hookeri* — Procumbent dwarf forming large mats. Small bright green shining leaves. Pinkish-white flowers. Red-brown berries. Endemic to central California coast.

- A. pumila** — Procumbent dwarf forming large mats. Small downy leaves. Pinkish-white flowers. Red-brown berries. Endemic to Monterey peninsula.
- A. tomentosa** — 4 ft. Gray-green leaf. White flower. Red-brown berry. Coastal hills.
- A. uva-ursi**, Bear-berry — Trailing. Small leathery leaf. Pinkish-white bloom. Red berries. Widely distributed.
- Argemone platyceras**, var. **hispida**, Prickly Poppy — Annual, 3 ft. Large white flowers. Desert places of Southern California.
- Armeria vulgaris**, Thrift — 12 in. Small dense heads of pink flowers. Coastal.
- Asarum caudatum**, Wild Ginger — 7 in. Interesting red-brown flower. Deep redwood forests.
- Asclepias mexicana**, Narrow-leaf Milkweed — 4 ft. Gray-purple flower.
- Aster tortifolius** — 18 in. Downy foliage. Large heads of pale purple flowers. One of the best of California asters. Desert mesas and mountain slopes to 4000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Atamosco longifolia**, Zephyr Lily — Bulb, 5 in. Long thread-like leaves. Solitary copper-yellow flowers. High desert mesas of New Mexico. 50 cents per packet.
- Atriplex hymenelytra**, Desert Holly — Stiff woody shrub, 2 ft. Silver-white holly-like leaves. Rapidly becoming scarce. Desert. 50 cents per packet.
- Azalea occidentalis** — Shrub, 10 ft. Large white yellow-splotted flowers. Coastal mountains.

- Baeria gracilis** — Annual, 2-12 in. Bright yellow daisy. Slender stem. Recommended for garden culture.
- Baeria macrantha** — 8 in. Yellow daisy. Local on northern California coast.
- Bloomeria crocea**, Golden Stars — Bulb, 12 in. More slender than **Brodiaea ixioidea** (see below) which it resembles. Southern hillsides.
- Brodiaea capitata**, California Hyacinth — Bulb, 2 ft. Close umbel of lavender-blue flowers. Hardy in eastern United States.
- Brodiaea ixioidea**, Golden Brodiaea — Bulb, 12 in. Umbel of yellow flowers. Outside of petals conspicuously brown-veined. Foothills of central and northern California to 5000 ft.
- Brodiaea laxa**, Ithuriel's Spear — Bulb, 2 ft. Loose showy umbel of deep violet-purple flowers. Hardy in eastern United States. Adobe soil. Northern hillsides.
- Brodiaea terrestris** — Bulb, 4 in. Loose umbel of lavender flowers on underground stem. Coastal. 50 cents per packet.

- Calochortus** — Mariposa Lily. Beautiful flowering bulbs. Nearly all endemic to the Pacific Coast. Hardy in the British Isles and often in the eastern United States.
- C. albus**, Fairy Lanterns — 18 in. Spray of large pearly-white nodding flowers. Wooded slopes.
- C. caeruleus**, var. **maweanus** (**C. maweanus**), Pussy Ears — 6 in. Bell-shaped lilac flower covered with white or purple hairs. Open woods of Sierra Nevada Mountains.
- C. catalinae** — 18 in. Large lilac flower with maroon base. Santa Barbara Islands and coast of Southern California.
- C. clavatus** — 2 ft. Large rich yellow bowl-shaped flower. Dry volcanic soils in southern half of California. 50 cents per packet.

- C. gunnisonii* — 15 in. Large purple-banded lilac flower. From Colorado Rocky Mountains.
- C. kennedyi*, Desert Mariposa — 6 in. Umbel of large flame-colored flowers, often marked with black. Hard clay or gravelly soil of desert mesas. Rare. 75 cents per packet.
- C. luteus*, Golden Mariposa — 12 in. Large cup-shaped yellow flower, often brown-blotched. Foothills of middle California.
- C. plummeræ* — 2 ft. Large lilac-purple flowers lined with silky orange hairs. Dry mountain sides of Southern California.
- C. uniflorus* — 6 in. Large pale lavender flower. Damp valleys of central and northern California coast. 50 cents per packet.
- Camassia leichtlinii* — Bulb, 2 ft. Raceme of dark blue to cream flowers. Damp grassy plains. Hardy in eastern United States.
- Campanula piperii* — Alpine, 9 in. Rosette of small round leaves. Bell-like lavender-blue flowers, varying in shape and shade. From Olympic Mountains, Washington, above timber line. 50 cents per packet.
- Campanula prenanthoides*, California Hare-bell — 12 in. Lavender-blue flowers on slender stem. Wooded slopes to 6000 ft.
- Carpentaria californica* — Evergreen shrub, 8 ft. Clusters of large white flowers with numerous yellow stamens. Endemic to limited area of Sierra Nevada Mountains to 3000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Castanopsis chrysophylla*, var. *minor*, Golden Chinquapin — Shrub, 12 ft. Leaves golden beneath. Nuts in golden-brown chestnut-like bur. Rocky ridges of northern California coast.
- Castilleja latifolia*, Seaside Paint-Brush — 12 in. Flower bracts rounded, in spike, yellow to bright red. Sea bluffs of central California coast.
- Castilleja linearifolia* — 24 in. Red or crimson flower bracts. From Colorado Rocky Mountains.
- Castilleja parviflora*, Indian Paint-Brush — 18 in. Deep scarlet toothed flower bracts. Wooded canyons to 7000 ft.
- Ceanothus* — California Lilac. Familiar and beautiful native shrubs. There are about thirty species and many varieties. Nearly all of them are evergreen. They range from prostrate dwarfs to small trees and are found in altitudes up to 8000 ft.
- C. cuneatus*, Buck-brush — Rigid, gray-barked evergreen shrub. Small leathery gray-green leaves. Tufts of white fragrant flowers. Dry mountain slopes to 4000 ft. throughout California.
- C. dentatus* — Dense dwarf shrub. Small narrowly-revolute leaf. Rounded panicles of blue flowers. Endemic to Monterey coast. 50 cents per packet.
- C. divaricatus* — White-barked evergreen shrub, 10 ft. Thick leaf. Flowers white or blue. Mountains of Southern California to 5000 ft.
- C. foliosus* — Depressed evergreen shrub, 2 ft. Small dark green crinkled shining leaf. Small clusters of blue flowers. Exposed slopes of north Coast Ranges to 3500 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- C. incanus*, White Thorn — Evergreen shrub, 6 ft. Large gray-green leaf. White flowers. Along streams of north Coast Ranges.
- C. integerrimus*, Deer-brush — Shrub, 12 ft. Yellow-green bark. Panicles, 5 in. long, of white, pink or blue flowers. Mountain slopes to 7000 ft.
- C. papillosus* — Evergreen shrub, 5 ft. Revolute, densely papillate leaf. Blue flowers. Endemic to southern redwood belt. 50 cents per packet.
- C. rigidus* — Small evergreen shrub, 4 ft. Intricately branched. Small stiff glossy leaf. Blue or lavender flowers in axillary clusters. Endemic to central California coast.

- C. rigidus*, var. *alba* — Shrub, similar to above, thickly covered with pure white flowers. (As this is found growing in the same stands as the blue type, seed may revert.)
- C. spinosus* — Straggling spiny evergreen shrub or small tree. Yellow-green bark. Flowers pale blue or white. Mountains near south coast.
- C. thyrsoiflorus* — Evergreen shrub or small tree. Glossy green foliage. Long panicles of blue flowers. Abundant in the redwood belt. Hardy in the British Isles.
- Cerastium arvense*, var. *maximum* — 12 in. Green-gray foliage. White flowers. Northern coast.
- Cercidium torreyanum*, Palo Verde — Tree, 18 ft. Smooth green bark. Suggests leafless weeping willow. Covered in bloom with yellow butterfly-like flowers. Desert.
- Cercocarpus betuloides*, Mountain Mahogany — Shrub, 10 ft. Small dark green leaves. Conspicuous plumed seeds. Mountain sides to 4000 ft.
- Chænactis glabriuscula* — Annual, 18 in. Yellow composite with protruding stamens.
- Chilopsis linearis*, Desert Willow — Shrub with cane-like stems, 20 ft. White fragrant flower blotched with lilac and yellow. Desert.
- Chlorogalum pomeridianum*, Amole — Bulb, 4 ft. Long undulate leaves. Spreading panicle of dainty white purple-veined flowers.
- Chorizanthe staticoides*, Turkish Rugging — Annual, 6 in. Flat-topped raceme of brittle raspberry-red flowers. Dry foothills.
- Cirsium occidentale* — 3 ft. White-woolly foliage. Bright rose-purple flowers. Coastal.
- Cirsium occidentale*, var. *coulteri*, Cobweb Thistle — 3 ft. Silver-gray foliage. Calyxes densely white-webbed. Rose-purple flowers. Dry mountain slopes to 8000 ft.
- Clarkia elegans* — Annual, 12 in. Slender growth. Deep pink ragged flowers.
- Clintonia andrewsiana*, Red Clintonia — Lily family, 18 in. Glossy basal leaves 10 in. long. Umbel of rose-pink flowers. Lapislazuli-blue berries. Deep redwood forests. Hardy in eastern United States. 50 cents per packet.
- Collinsia bicolor*, Innocence, Chinese Houses — Annual, 15 in. White with lavender or purple. Shady hillsides.
- Convolvulus luteolus* — Strong climber. White striped outside with purple. Northern Coast Ranges.
- Convolvulus soldanella*, Shore Morning-Glory — Prostrate. Thick leathery leaf. Large showy pink flowers. Sand dunes.
- Coreopsis gigantea* (*Leptosyne gigantea*), Tree Coreopsis — Shrub, 5 ft. Thick fleshy trunk. Finely divided succulent foliage. Santa Barbara Islands and adjacent coast. 50 cents per packet.
- Coreopsis maritima* (*Leptosyne maritima*), Sea Dahlia — 2 ft. Succulent divided foliage. Yellow composite flower 4 in. across. Southern coast. \$1.50 per oz.
- Corethrogyne californica*, Woolly Aster — 12 in. Spreading. Gray downy foliage. Lavender flower. Northern California coast.
- Cotula coronopifolia*, Brass Buttons — Annual, 6 in. Rayless yellow composite. Damp places.
- Cotyledon cæspitosa* (*Dudleya*) — 20 in. Fleshy green red-tipped foliage. Red flower stalk. Yellow flowers. Rocky ground of central California coast.
- Cotyledon farinosa* (*Dudleya*) — 15 in. Fleshy red-tipped foliage covered with white bloom. Cream to pale lemon flower. Northern California ocean bluffs.

Cotyledon laxa (Dudleya) — 15 in. Fleshy foliage. Narrow elongated leaf. Red flower stalks. Yellow flower. Rocky ground of middle California to 5500 ft.

Cupressus goveniana, Gowen Cypress — Evergreen shrub 5 ft. Compact outline. As hardy as Monterey Cypress. Should be better known. Endemic to Monterey peninsula.

Cupressus macrocarpa, Monterey Cypress — Evergreen tree, 50 ft. Useful for coastal windbreak. Hardy in British Isles. Endemic to Monterey peninsula.

Cynoglossum grande, Western Hound's Tongue — 2 ft. Raceme of brilliant blue flowers. Wooded canyons of northern California to 4000 ft.

Datura meteloides, Tolguacha — 2 ft. Large gray leaf. White violet-tinged trumpet-shaped flower 7 in. long. Sandy valley lands to 4000 ft.

Delphinium cardinale, Scarlet Larkspur — 5 ft. Scarlet flower. Among shrubs along hot sandy washes. \$2.50 per oz. \$18.00 per half pound. \$30.00 per pound.

Delphinium nudicaule, Red Larkspur — 18 in. Slender growth. Red flowers. Shaly hillsides. Coast Ranges and to 8000 ft. in Sierra Nevada Mountains.

Delphinium scopulorum, var. *glaucum* (*Delphinium glaucum*) — 5 ft. Robust growth. 18 in. spikes closely set with blue flowers. Mountain stream banks and wet meadows to 8000 ft. Rare. 50 cents per packet.

Delphinium variegatum, Royal Larkspur — 3 ft. Open raceme of large royal-purple flowers. Grassy hillsides of central California coast. 50 cents per packet.

Dendromecon rigida, Tree Poppy — Shrub, 6 ft. Willow-like foliage. Large yellow flowers. Long blooming season. Hardy in British Isles. Dry slopes to 3000 ft.

Dicentra chrysantha, Golden Ear-drops — 5 ft. Deeply cut gray foliage. Panicle of yellow flowers. High dry ridges to 5400 ft.

Disporum hookeri, Fairy Bells — Lily family, 2 ft. Flat sprays of glossy leaves sheltering pendant green-white flowers. Showy orange-scarlet berries. Deep redwood forests.

Diplacus aurantiacus, (*Mimulus aurantiacus*), Bush Monkey-flower — Evergreen shrub, 3 ft. Buff-yellow flowers. Dry hillsides.

Diplacus puniceus, (*Mimulus puniceus*) — Evergreen shrub, 3 ft. Brick-red flowers. Dry hillsides of Southern California.

Dodecatheon hendersonii, Shooting Star, California Cyclamen — 10 in. Flowers rose-purple, lavender or white. Hardy in eastern United States. Northern foothills.

Dodecatheon jeffreyi, var. *redolens*, Sierra Shooting Star — 15 in. Rose-pink flower. Strongly fragrant foliage. Sierra Nevada Mountains to 11,500 ft. 50 cents per packet.

Downingia pulchella — Dwarf annual, 4 in. Yellow and blue lobelia-like flower. Sunny low spots, wet in spring.

Emmenanthe penduliflora, Whispering Bells — Annual, 20 in. Flowers cream, persistent. Difficult to germinate. Often follows brush fires. Chaparral slopes to 5200 ft.

Encelia californica — Low shrub, 3 ft. Large bright yellow composite flowers. Dry hillsides of Southern California.

Ericameria ericoides, Mock Heather — Evergreen heather-like shrub, 3 ft. Yellow composite flower. Seacoast of central and southern California.

- Erigeron compositus**, var. **trifidus**—Alpine, 2 in. Tufted plant, densely leafy. Large white or violet flowers. Sierra Nevada Mountains to 11,750 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Erigeron glaucus**, Beach Aster—8 in. Large composite flower. Lilac rays. Yellow center. Hardy in British Isles. Seacoast of northern California.
- Erigeron linearis**—8 in. Downy foliage. Many-rayed purple, violet or white flowers. Arid slopes to 8000 ft.
- Erigeron macranthus**—2 ft. Large composite flower with many lilac rays. Hardy in the British Isles. From Colorado Rocky Mountains.
- Erigeron radicans**—Alpine, 2 in. Densely tufted gray hairy foliage. Large lavender flowers. Free-blooming. Summits of Sierra Nevada Mountains to 12,000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Eriodictyon californicum**, Yerba Santa, Mountain Balm—5 ft. Aromatic foliage. Panicle of small lavender or china-blue flowers. Dry mountain slopes of northern California to 4000 ft.
- Eriogonum compositum**—10 in. Downy foliage. Yellow to cream flowers. North Coast Ranges and north to Washington. 50 cents per packet.
- Eriogonum giganteum**—Evergreen shrub, 6 ft. Leathery white-woolly leaves. Flat cluster, 8 in. broad, of pink or white flowers. Santa Barbara Islands. 50 cents per packet.
- Eriogonum latifolium**, White Buckwheat—18 in. Gray-white basal foliage. White to pinkish flowers. California coast.
- Eriogonum ovalifolium**—Alpine, 2 in. Close woolly pink flowerheads rising from dense gray tufts. Free-blooming. Granite peaks of Sierra Nevada Mountains to 12,000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Eriogonum parvifolium**, Pink Buckwheat—Evergreen shrub, 2 ft. Flowers white, pink and rose in dense heads. Coast of central and southern California.
- Eriophyllum caespitosum**—10 in. Gray downy foliage. Large yellow composite flower. Profuse bloomer. Coastal bluffs of northern California.
- Eriophyllum confertiflorum**, "Golden Yarrow"—Bushy plant, 18 in. Green-gray foliage. Flat-topped cluster of yellow composite flowers. Coast Ranges from sea-level and Sierra Nevada Mountains to 7500 ft.
- Erysimum asperum**, Western Wallflower—2 ft. Fragrant orange or yellow flowers. Dry rocky hills. Hardy in eastern United States.
- Erysimum capitatum**, Coast Wallflower—12 in. Cream or yellow flower. Sea-coast.
- Erythronium californicum**, Fawn Lily—Corm, 8 in. Mottled leaf. Cream to yellow flower. Brushy hillsides of northern California.
- Erythronium grandiflorum** (**E. giganteum**), Glacier Lily, Trout Lily—Corm, 10 in. Loose raceme of two to six large light yellow or golden yellow fragrant flowers. Rich woods of Coast Ranges and edges of mountain glaciers to 11,500 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Erythronium hartwegii**—Corm, 5 in. Mottled leaf. Flowers cream with orange center. Hardy in eastern United States. Recommended for potting. Brushy hillsides of northern California. 50 cents per packet.
- Erythronium hendersonii**, Adder's Tongue—Corm, 10 in. Raceme of two to four lavender flowers with deep purple centers. Hardy in eastern United States. Mountains of northern California. 50 cents per packet.
- Eschscholtzia californica**, var. **alba**, California poppy—18 in. white variety. 30 cents per oz. \$2.00 per half pound, \$3.00 per pound.
- Eschscholtzia californica**, var. **aurantiaca**, California poppy—18 in. orange variety. 30 cents per oz. \$2.00 per half pound, \$3.00 per pound.
- Eschscholtzia californica**, California Poppy—18 in. light yellow variety. 30 cents per oz., \$2.00 per half pound, \$3.00 per pound.

Euonymus occidentalis, Western Burning Bush — Shrub, 15 ft. Small brownish-purple flower. Showy red seedpod. Redwood forests and north to Washington.

Fremontia californica — Evergreen shrub or small tree. Large golden-yellow flower. Desert slopes of Sierra Nevada Mountains to 5300 ft.

Fremontia californica, var. **mexicana** — Evergreen shrub or small tree. Orange flower 3 in. across. Outside of corolla rust-red. Mountains of Southern California and Mexico.

Fritillaria lanceolata, Checker Lily — Bulb 2 ft. Raceme of dark purple flowers mottled with yellow. Brushy hills near coast.

Fritillaria recurva, Scarlet Fritillary — Bulb, 20 in. Raceme of bell-shaped flowers, scarlet outside, scarlet checked on orange inside. Mountains of northern California. 50 cents per packet.

Garra elliptica, Silk Tassel Bush — Decorative evergreen shrub, 8 ft. Stiff glossy revolute leaves. Long silver-gray catkins. Coast ranges of northern California.

Gaultheria shallon, Salal — Evergreen shrub, 2 ft. Broad leathery leaves. White urn-shaped flowers. Coastal, especially in redwood belt.

Gilias — The genus **Gilia** includes about thirty species and varieties, the flowers being generally of the phlox type, and the foliage inconspicuous. The **Gilias** form an important part of the spring flora of the Pacific Coast.

Gilia aggregata, Scarlet **Gilia** — 2 ft. Spike of brilliant scarlet star-like flowers. Long blooming season. Mountains of northern California to 10,000 ft.

Gilia capitata — Annual, 18 in. Slender. Dense heads of blue flowers varying in size. Dry slopes to 5000 ft. 40 cents per oz. \$2.75 per half pound, \$5.00 per pound.

Gilia multicaulis — Annual, 10 in. Loose raceme of small deep blue flowers. Open hillsides to 3000 ft.

Gilia tricolor, Bird's Eyes — Annual, 12 in. Loose clusters of lilac flowers with purple and gold center, varying to white with yellow center. Open foothills to 3000 ft. 40 cents per oz. \$2.75 per half pound, \$5.00 per pound.

Godetia amoena — Annual, 3 ft. Erect and branching. Pink red-centered flowers. Coastal hill-slopes north from Monterey county.

Godetia bottae — Annual, 2 ft. Open lilac flower 2 in. across with white center. Hill-slopes south from Monterey county.

Godetia goddardii — Annual, 18 in. Generally unbranched. Bright purple-crimson flowers. Dry open hills.

Godetia parviflora — Annual, 8 in. Slender branching stems. Brilliant rose-red flowers. Endemic to Monterey county. 50 cents per packet.

Godetia quadrivulnera — Annual, 18 in. Flowers pink with variable shades and markings. Open hillsides to 4400 ft.

Grindelia robusta, Gum Plant — 2 ft. Large yellow composite flower. Buds white. Along sea-coast.

Helenium hoopesi — 2 ft. Showy yellow composite flower with globular brown center. High montane meadows and stream banks to 9500 ft.

Helianthemum scoparium, var. **vulgare**, Rush-rose, Rock-rose — 12 in. Numerous stems forming large tuft. Many clear yellow flowers. Edges of dry woods to 4000 ft.

Hesperocallis undulata, Desert Lily — Bulb 18 in. Long narrow undulate basal leaves. Open raceme often bearing twenty large white flowers suggesting Easter lilies. Slight fragrance. Desert. 50 cents per packet.

Heuchera pilosissima, Alum-root — 18 in. Attractive foliage. Panicle of small downy pink-white flowers. Hardy and easily grown in eastern United States. Shaded hillsides and canyons of northern California coast.

Hulsea nana — Alpine, 5 in. Woolly stems and leaves. Large yellow composite flower. Sandy volcanic mountain peaks to 11,000 ft.

Iris bracteata — 12 in. Yellow flowers veined with red-brown. The best of the western yellow iris. Redwood belt and mountains of northern California. 50 cents per packet.

Iris chrysophylla — Dwarf. Slender. White or yellow flowers. Free blooming. Collected for us in the Oregon mountains as this species. 50 cents per packet.

Iris douglasiana, Mountain Iris — 18 in. Large-flowered. Coastal species purple. Mountain types vary in color to lilac and cream. Hardy in eastern United States. Redwood belt and coastal slopes of northern California.

Iris longipetala, Coast Iris — 15 in. Large white and violet flowers. Hardy in British Isles. Heavy wet soil of central California coast. 50 cents per packet.

Iris macrosiphon, Ground Iris — 10 in. Flowers straw-yellow and violet, veined or mottled. Brushy coastal slopes to 3000 ft. 50 cents per packet.

Iris missouriensis, Western Blue Flag — 18 in. Flowers white to pale blue veined with purple. High montane in moist meadows. Widely distributed.

Iris setosa — 2 ft. Red-purple flower. Northwestern America to Arctic regions.

Iris tenax — 10 in. Flowers varying from cream-white with violet markings, to lavender, blue or purple. Forms large clumps bearing simultaneously many flowers of differing shades. River-valleys of western Oregon. 50 cents per packet.

Juniperus californica, California Juniper — Evergreen shrub, 10 ft. Gray-green foliage. Attractive berries covered with a grayish bloom, green, ripening to red-brown. Desert mesas and foothills of southern Sierra Nevada Mountains.

Larrea tridentata, Creosote Bush — Evergreen shrub, 5 ft. Small dark green resinous leaves. Yellow flowers. Desert valleys and mesas.

Lathyrus littoralis, Beach Pea — Many decumbent stems. Silky gray foliage. Clusters of lavender and white flowers. Suggests a downy dwarf lupin. Sandy beaches north from Monterey county.

Lathyrus splendens, Pride of California — Climbing pea, 7 ft. Many-flowered racemes of large showy crimson flowers. Mountains of Southern California.

Lavatera assurgentiflora, Tree Mallow, Mission Mallow — Evergreen shrub, 9 ft. Maple-like leaves. Large deep rose-red flowers. Indigenous to Santa Barbara Islands.

Layia elegans — Annual, 9 in. Yellow daisy, rarely white-tipped. Plains and foothills.

Layia platyglossa, Tidy-tips — Annual, 12 in. Yellow daisy with white-tipped rays. Valleys and foothills to 4600 ft.

Leptodactylon californicum, Prickly Phlox — Shrub, 2 ft. Narrow spiny leaves. Bright pink flowers. Chaparral slopes of Southern California to 5000 ft.

Lilium columbianum, Oregon Lily — Bulb, 3 ft. Strongly recurved bright reddish-orange flowers, spotted with purple. Coastal northern California and north to British Columbia.

- Lilium humboldtii*, Humboldt's Lily — Bulb, 4 ft. Large recurving orange flowers spotted with purple. Chaparral belts of Sierra Nevada Mountains to 6000 ft.
- Lilium roezlii* (*L. pardalinum roezlii*) — Bulb, 4 ft. Flowers orange-red with maroon dots. Damp places in mountains of northern California and southern Oregon to 4000 ft.
- Lilium washingtonium*, Washington Lily, Mt. Hood Lily — Bulb, 5 ft. Many flowers, 4 in. long, white fading to pink. Pine forests and slopes of northern California mountains, 3000 to 6000 ft. Good drainage essential.
- Limnanthes douglasii* (*Floerkea douglasii*), Meadow Foam — Annual, 8 in. Succulent foliage. Creamy flowers. Wet meadows of central California Coast Ranges.
- Linanthus dianthoides* (*Gilia dianthoides*), Fringed. Pink — Annual, 4 in. Large yellow-throated lilac flowers. Sandy ground of Southern California. 50 cents per packet.
- Linanthus dichotomus* (*Gilia dichotomus*), Evening Snow — Annual, 6 in. Large fragrant white flowers with brownish outer margin, opening late in afternoon. One of the most beautiful of the Polemoniaceæ. Gravelly or sandy places, desert or mountains to 5000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Linanthus grandiflorus* (*Gilia densiflora*), White Phlox *Gilia* — Annual, 12 in. Stiff stem terminating in crowded cluster of white, pink or lavender flowers. Hillsides of central California coast.
- Linaria canadensis*, Blue Toad Flax — Annual or biennial, 15 in. Slender spike of blue flowers. Sandy soil. Uncommon but widely distributed.
- Lithophragma affinis*, Woodland Star — 15 in. Bronze-red basal leaves, stem and calyxes. Slender raceme of star-like eight-pointed white flowers. Open woods of foothills.
- Lonicera hispidula*, var. *californica*, California Honeysuckle — Evergreen climbing shrub, 15 ft. Short spikes of pink flowers. Scarlet berries. Stream banks of Coast Ranges and Sierra Nevada foothills.
- Lonicera interrupta*, Chaparral Honeysuckle — Evergreen climbing shrub, 8 ft. Short spike of cream-yellow flowers. Red berries. Dry slopes of central and southern California to 4000 ft.
- Lonicera subspicata*, Moronel — Evergreen climbing shrub, 6 ft. Whorls of pale yellow flowers. Red or yellow berries. Chaparral slopes of Southern California to 5000 ft.
- Lotus formosissimus* (*Hosackia gracilis*) — Prostrate, spreading. Clusters of vivid leguminous flowers, golden-yellow standard, pink or magenta wings, wine-red keel. Damp ground along coast, northward from Monterey county.
- Lotus scoparius*, Deerweed — Bushy, 2 ft. Long spikes of small leguminous flowers, red-yellow. Frequent in hill country to 2500 ft.
- Lupinus albifrons* — Rounded bush or dwarf tree, 4 ft. Silver-gray leaves. Racemes of lavender-blue flowers rising above foliage. Coastal hillsides.
- Lupinus arboreus* — Bush Lupin. Varies in color from the bright yellow of the type through pale yellow, brown and purple to pink-lavender. Coastal from Humboldt to Santa Barbara counties.
- L. arboreus* — 6 ft. Type. Fragrant. Bright yellow.
- L. arboreus* — 4 ft. Fragrant. Light yellow and brown.
- L. arboreus* — 5 ft. Bicolor, purple and lavender.
- L. arboreus* — 6 ft. Lavender-pink.
- Lupinus cytisoides*, Canyon Lupin — 5 ft. Handsome foliage. Long striking racemes shaded pink and rose-purple. Hardy in British Isles. Canyons of Southern California.

- Lupinus densiflorus lacteus**, White Lupin — annual, 18 in. Dense whorls of white flowers. Inland hillsides.
- Lupinus densiflorus palustris** — Annual, 18 in. Dense whorls of deep lavender flowers. Coastal.
- Lupinus formosus** — Decumbent, 18 in. Rich purple flowers. Open valleys.
- Lupinus hirsutissimus** — Annual, 18 in. Hairy foliage. Brilliant rose-red flowers. Dry hillsides.
- Lupinus latifolius** — 12 in. Branched. Blue-purple flowers. Dry hillsides.
- Lupinus longifolius** (mountain type) — Bush lupin. Silky foliage. Long spikes of light blue flowers. Hardy in British Isles. Dry mountain slopes.
- Lupinus lyallii** — Alpine, 3 in. Silvery foliage. Short racemes of brilliant blue-purple flowers. Dry mountain tops of Sierra Nevada Mountains to 9000 ft. and north to Washington. 50 cents per packet.
- Lupinus nanus**, Dwarf Lupin — Annual, 10 in. Bright blue and white. Grassy hills. 40 cents per oz. \$2.75 per half pound, \$5.00 per pound.
- Lupinus ornatus** — 18 in. Handsome blue flowers. Collected in Sierra Nevada Mountains as this species.
- Lupinus succulentus** — Annual, 2 ft. Good foliage. Dark blue flowers. Early blooming. Heavy soil. Moist hillsides and ravines of central and southern California.
- Lupinus varicolor** — Decumbent, 7 in. Variegated spikes of flowers, yellow, cream, pink, lavender, purple. Grassy coastal fields and slopes.
- Lyonothamnus floribundus**, Catalina Ironwood — Slender evergreen tree, 30 ft. Narrow dark green pinnately cut leaves. Small white flowers in broad clusters. Endemic to Santa Barbara Islands. 75 cents per packet.
- Madia elegans** — Annual, 2 ft. Large many-rayed yellow composite flowers, sometimes brown-centered. Dry hillsides and valleys.
- Malvastrum coccinium** — Decumbent, 18 in. Copper-scarlet flowers. High desert mesas to 6000 ft.
- Mentzelia laevicaulis**, Blazing Star — Biennial, 3 ft. Glistening white stems. Clusters of pale yellow, gleaming, many-stamened flowers, 4 in. across. Seeds will rot unless soil in which they are sown is kept dry. Dry stream beds and gravelly places to 5000 ft.
- Mentzelia lindleyi** (*Bartonia aurea*), Blazing Star — Annual, 18 in. Glossy golden-yellow flowers, often with vermilion base. Numerous stamens. Inland foothills. 40 cents per oz. \$2.75 per half pound, \$5.00 per pound.
- Mimulus cardinalis**, Scarlet Monkey-flower — 18 in. Bright scarlet. Along streams to 5000 ft.
- Mimulus guttatus**, Yellow Monkey-flower — Annual or perennial, 18 in. Golden-yellow. Along streams to 6000 ft.
- Monardella odoratissima** — Decumbent, forming large mats, 18 in. Terminal heads of bright violet purple flowers. Collected near central California coast as this species.
- Monardella villosa**, Coyote Mint — 12 in. Fragrant foliage. Lavender flowers. Dry rocky hills.
- Monolopia major** — Annual, 18 in. White-woolly stems and foliage. Attractive golden-yellow daisy. Adobe hills and valleys.
- Myrica californica**, Wax Myrtle — Evergreen tree, 20 ft. Dark glossy foliage. Gray waxy berry-like fruit. Northern California coast.
- Nemophila aurita**, Fiesta Flower, Climbing Nemophila — Annual. Long straggling stems. Large deep violet flower. Shady places in foothills.

- Nemophila maculata**, Spotted Nemophila — Annual, 6 in. Lilac-white with large purple spots. Meadows to 6500 ft. 35 cents per oz. \$2.25 per half pound, \$4.00 per pound.
- Nemophila menziesii** (*N. insignis*) Baby Blue Eyes — Annual, 6 in. Varying shades of blue. 35 cents per oz. \$2.25 per half pound, \$4.00 per pound.
- Nemophila menziesii**, var. *alba* — White form of above. 50 cents per oz. \$3.50 per half pound, \$6.00 per pound.
- Nemophila menziesii**, var. *mauve* — Mauve form of above. 50 cents per oz. \$3.50 per half pound, \$6.00 per pound.
- Nicotiana glauca**, Tree Tobacco — Slender evergreen shrub, 10 ft. Gray foliage. Yellow tubular flowers. Dry slopes of Southern California.
- Oenothera alyssoides**, var. *decorticans* — Annual, 12 in. Spike of white flowers fading pink. Dry hillsides to 5000 ft.
- Oenothera hookeri**, Evening Primrose — Biennial, 3 ft. Large yellow flower. Moist lowlands.
- Oenothera ovata**, Sun-cups — 3 in. Leaves in basal rosette. Large golden-yellow flowers. Seedpods mature below surface of ground. Open coastal hillsides.
- Oenothera spiralis** — Decumbent. Gray foliage. Large yellow flower. Coastal.
- Oenothera trichocalyx**, Desert Evening Primrose — Biennial, 18 in. Large white flower. Sandy plains and deserts to 4000 ft.
- Orthocarpus purpurascens**, Owl's Clover — Annual, 8 in. Thick spike of cream-tipped rose-purple flowers.
- Osmaronia cerasiformis**, Oso Berry — Erect shrub, 5 ft. Pendant racemes of small fragrant white flowers. Blue-black berries. Canyon slopes of northern California to 4000 ft.
- Oxalis oregana**, Redwood Sorrel — 5 in. Large green leaves. Pink or white flower. Hardy in eastern United States. Deep redwood forests.
- Pæonia brownii**, Western Peony — 12 in. Gray divided foliage. Large crimson-brown leathery flowers. Brushy hill-slopes to 5400 ft.
- Papaver californicum**, Western Poppy — Annual, 18 in. Slender growth. Salmon-red flowers. Central and southern California.
- Pentstemon** — Beardtongue. Showy natives of the Pacific Coast and interior as far east as the Rocky Mountains. There are one hundred or more species, many of which are not in cultivation. We expect to be able to make constant additions to our present list. Pentstemons should be more widely grown in rock gardens.
- P. antirrhinoides** — Much-branched evergreen shrub, 4 ft. Tiny linear leaves. Wide-mouthed yellow flowers. Mesas and canyons of Southern California to 3000 ft.
- P. barbatus** (*Chelone barbata*) — 4 ft. Slender stems. Long scarlet flowers. Mountains of the South-West.
- P. centranthifolius**, Scarlet Bugler — 3 ft. Smooth gray foliage. Narrow, bright vermilion tubular flowers. Hot sandy places to 4700 ft.
- P. confertus**, var. *cæruleo-purpureus* — 10 in. Basal leaves forming mat. Close raceme of purple-blue flowers. Sandy slopes of Sierra Nevada Mountains to 10,000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. cordifolius** — Shrub, 6 ft. Glistening foliage. Straggling branches tipped with showy panicles of scarlet honeysuckle-like flowers. This should do well in England, grown as a climber against a hot wall. Hill-slopes of Southern California to 2000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. deustus** — Shrubby creeper, 8 in. Attractive yellow flowers with red-brown throat. Mountains of Pacific North-West to 7000 ft.

- P. diffusus** — 18 in. Erect stems bearing close panicles of violet-purple flowers. Alpine meadows of Pacific North-West mountains.
- P. fruticosus** — Low matted shrub, 10 in. Leathery leaves. Raceme-like inflorescence bearing large flowers suggesting blue-purple snapdragons. Mountains of Pacific North-West to 8000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. glaber** — 15 in. Spikes of blue flowers. Dry mountain slopes to 8500 ft.
- P. heterophyllus** — 18 in. Wiry stems. Narrow leaves. Blue-purple flowers. Rocky hill-slopes to 5500 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. labrosus** — 2 ft. Basal foliage forming gray leafy mats. Crimson flowers. Southern chaparral and forests to 6000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. lætus** — 10 in. Gray foliage. Loose panicle of blue-purple flowers. Dry mountain slopes to 8000 ft.
- P. menziesii** — Evergreen dwarf, 5 in. Leathery foliage. Purple-blue flower with pink throat. Thrives in decomposed wood. Mountains of Pacific North-West to 14,000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. menziesii**, var. **dauidsonii** — Prostrate Alpine dwarf. Rounded leaf. Flowerstems 2 in. Large horizontally spreading blue-purple flowers. Full sun. Sandy places of Sierra Nevada Mountain summits to 12,000 ft. Limited quantity, 75 cents per packet.
- P. murrayanus** — 2 ft. Spikes of long tubular scarlet flowers. Hardy in British Isles in light sandy soil. Western Texas. 50 cents per packet.
- P. palmeri**, var. **grinnellii** — 2 ft. Large cream and lilac flowers. Mountain slopes of Southern California to 8000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. richardsonii** — 18 in. Deeply toothed bright green foliage. Loose panicle of red flowers. **Collected for us under this name on north bank of Columbia River gorge.** Mountains of Pacific North-West to 8000 ft. in poor soil. 50 cents per packet.
- P. rupicola** — Creeping Alpine. Mats of small gray-green leathery leaves. Bright red flowers. Rocky cliffs of Pacific North-West mountains to 7500 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. scouleri** — Dwarf spreading evergreen shrub, 12 in. Stiff leathery foliage. Large lilac or blue flowers. Farrar says of *P. scouleri* "the most magnificent of all shrubby pentstemons." Mountains of Pacific North-West to 8000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- P. spectabilis** — 4 ft. Smooth gray foliage. Panicle 15 in. long of blue and royal purple flowers. Dry hills and valleys of Southern California to 4500 ft.
- P. ternatus** — Straggling shrub, 5 ft. Long raceme of terra-cotta or scarlet flowers. Mountains of Southern California to 7000 ft.
- Phacelias** — There are many species of this annual. The flowers are usually either large and solitary, or smaller and borne in crowded scorpioid spikes. Most *Phacelias* grow in light sunny soil.
- P. brachyloba** — Annual, 18 in. Spikes of white, yellow-throated flowers. Sandy soil to 5000 ft.
- P. ciliata** — Annual, 12 in. Spikes of lavender-blue flowers. Conspicuous seed-pods. Valleys and mountain flats to 5000 ft.
- P. douglasii** — Annual, decumbent. Flowers light blue, open-campanulate. Sandy valleys.
- P. minor** (**P. whitlavia**), California Canterbury Bell — Annual, 12 in. Loose open clusters of bell-shaped purple flowers. Valleys and mesas to 4000 ft.
- P. minor**, var. **campanularia** (**P. campanularia**) — Annual, 12 in. Brilliant gentian-blue open bell-shaped flowers. Desert ranges to 4000 ft. \$1.00 per oz. \$7.00 per half pound, \$15.00 per pound.
- P. tanacetifolia**, Blue Fiddle-neck — Annual, 3 ft. Crowded spikes of lavender flowers. Valleys and foothills. 35 cents per oz. \$2.25 per half pound, \$4.00 per pound.

- P. viscida* — Annual, 12 in. Deep blue bowl-shaped flower with white center. Southern coast.
- Photinia arbutifolia*, Toyon, California Holly — Evergreen shrub, 8 ft. Panicle of white flowers. Showy red berries. Hillsides and mountain slopes to 3500 ft.
- Pinus coulteri*, Big-cone Pine — Evergreen tree, 60 ft. Cones 12 in. long, 6 in. thick. Dry rocky mountain slopes to 6500 ft.
- Pinus muricata*, Bishop Pine — Evergreen tree, 60 ft. Isolated stands near coast.
- Pinus radiata*, Monterey Pine — Evergreen tree, 60 ft. Occasional coastal stands.
- Pinus sabiniana*, Digger Pine — Evergreen tree, 60 ft. Cones 8 in long. Dry foothills.
- Pinus torreyana*, Torrey Pine — Evergreen tree, 30 ft. Endemic to small tract on San Diego county coast and to Santa Rosa Island. 50 cents per packet.
- Pinus tuberculata*, Knob-cone Pine — Evergreen tree, 40 ft. Few scattered stands in central and northern California mountains.
- Platystemon californicus*, Cream-cups — Annual, 8 in. Small cream-colored poppy. Desirable.
- Prunus demissa*, Western Choke-cherry — Shrub 5 ft. Four in. spikes of white flowers. Dark purple berry. Mountain slopes to 6700 ft.
- Pulsatilla hirsutissima* — 12 in. Gray foliage. Violet-purple flower. Conspicuous plumed seed-heads. From Colorado Rocky Mountains.
- Rhamnus californica*, Coffee Berry — Evergreen shrub, 5 ft. Large red-black berry. Hill-slopes to 4000 ft.
- Rhamnus crocea*, var. *illicifolia* — Evergreen shrub, 2 ft. Rounded leathery leaves. Crimson berries. Southern California hills.
- Rhus laurina*, Laurel-sumac — Aromatic evergreen shrub, 6 ft. Southern coastal valleys.
- Rhus ovata* — Evergreen shrub, 6 ft. Shining leathery leaves. Flattened red berry. Dry hills of Southern California.
- Rhus trilobata*, Squaw Bush — Shrub, 2 ft. Spikes of pale yellow flowers. Red berries. Canyons and mountain sides to 4000 ft.
- Ribes malvaceum* — Shrub, 4 ft. Raceme of rose-red flowers. Early blooming. Gray-blue berry. Dry hillsides.
- Ribes sanguineum*, var. *glutinosum*, Flowering Currant — Shrub, 6 ft. Fragrant foliage. Racemes of rose-pink flowers. Blue-black berry. Northern California coast.
- Ribes speciosum*, Fuchsia Flowered Gooseberry — Evergreen shrub, 8 ft. Glossy foliage. Cardinal-red flowers pendant from prickly branches. Hardy in British Isles. Coast of central and southern California.
- Romneya coulteri*, Matilija Poppy — Evergreen shrub, 6 ft. Gray foliage. Enormous white flowers. Dry sunny washes and canyons. 75 cents per ¼ oz., \$2.50 per oz., \$17.00 per half pound, \$30.00 per pound.
- Rosa gymnocarpa*, Redwood Rose — 4 ft. Slender growth. Intense rose-pink flowers. Deep redwood forests.
- Salvia carduea*, Thistle Sage — Annual, 18 in. Lavender flowers in woolly whorls. Plant strongly lemon-verbena scented. Dry sandy mesas.
- Salvia columbaria*, Chia — Annual, 12 in. Whorls of intense blue flowers. Dry hill-slopes.
- Salvia spathacea* (*Audibertia grandiflora*), Humming-bird Sage — 2 ft. Heavy foliage. Whorls of crimson flowers. Southern Coast Ranges.

- Saxifraga tolmei** — Alpine, 3 in. Dense tufts of closely leafed stems. Panicles of white flowers. Moist gravelly places in Sierra Nevada Mountains to 10,000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Saxifraga virginensis**, var. **californica** — 9 in. Fragile stem. Delicate panicle of white, red-centered flowers. Shaded hillsides to 6000 ft. 50 cents per packet.
- Sedum spathifolium** — Matted growth. Small rosettes of gray-green leaves. Cymes of yellow flowers on four-inch stems. Foothill rocks to 5000 ft. and north to British Columbia.
- Sequoia sempervirens**, Redwood — Evergreen tree, 250 ft. Flat sprays of hemlock-like foliage. Endemic to coast of central and northern California.
- Sidalcea malvæflora** — Decumbent, 12 in. Large attractive rose-pink flower. Grassy coastal hillsides.
- Sisyrinchium bellum**, Blue-eyed Grass — Iris family, 9 in. Bright purple-blue flower, yellow center. Hardy in eastern United States. Moist grassy slopes.
- Sisyrinchium californicum**, Golden-eyed Grass — Iris family, 12 in. Bright yellow flower. Wet places. Infrequent.
- Smilacina amplexicaulis**, California Solomon's Seal — 2 ft. White flowers in terminal raceme. Panicle of light red berries, spotted dark red. Shady mountain woods to British Columbia.
- Smilacina sessilifolia**, Slender California Solomon's Seal — 18 in. White flowers in terminal raceme. Panicle of dark red berries. Shady coastal woods north to Washington.
- Solanum wallacei**, Catalina Nightshade — Bush, 3 ft. Purple-blue flowers 2 in. across. Collected on Catalina Island.
- Sphecele calycina**, Pitcher Sage — Bush, 4 ft. Pink-white flowers in leafy raceme. Hillsides of Southern Coast Ranges.
- Sphaeralcea ambigua**, Desert Mallow — 2 ft. Gray foliage. Open panicle of showy brick-red flowers. Desert.
- Swertia radiata** (*Frasera speciosa*), Green Gentian, Deer's Tongue — 3 ft. Flower greenish-white, purple dotted. Open pine woods to 9000 ft.
- Thermopsis montana** — 18 in. Raceme of bright yellow lupin-like flowers. Meadows of Rocky Mountains to 10,000 ft.
- Trichostema lanatum**, Romero, Woolly Blue Curls — Shrub, 4 ft. Blue flowers with protruding stamens in spikes covered with dense violet wool. Dry sunny mountain slopes to 4000 ft.
- Trillium ovatum**, Coast Trillium — 9 in. White flower fading to rose. Hardy in eastern United States. Wooded canyons near northern coast of California. 50 cents per packet.
- Vicia gigantea**, Giant Vetch — Strong climber. Racemes of deep wine-red flowers. Along streams of northern California coast and north to Alaska.
- Vicia semicincta** — Stems 3 ft. Racemes of bright blue-purple flowers. Fields of northern California to Oregon.
- Viola ocellata**, Western Heart's Ease — 8 in. Petals white or lavender with deep purple spots. Redwood belt.
- Viola pedunculata**, Yellow Pansy — 8 in. Golden yellow. Outside of upper petals dark brown. Grassy hillsides.
- Viola sarmientosa**, Redwood Violet — Prostrate. Light yellow rounded petals. Woods near northern California coast and north to British Columbia.
- Wyethia angustifolia** — 18 in. Heavy basal leaves. Large yellow sunflower-like flowers. Low hillsides.

Yucca whipplei, Our Lord's Candles — Flowering stem 12 ft. Long green-gray leaves in basal rosette, 3-6 ft. Panicle of large creamy-white flowers. Chaparral belt of central and ~~northern~~ ^{southern} California.

Zauschneria californica, California Fuchsia — 18 in. Gray-green foliage. Scarlet tubular flower. Hardy in British Isles. Dry hillsides of central and southern Coast Ranges to 4000 ft.

Zygadenus fremontii — Bulb, 2 ft. Large showy raceme of white flowers. Hardy in British Isles. Bushy hillsides of central and southern California coast.

Zygadenus fremontii, var. **minor** — Bulb, 6 in. Open raceme of white flowers. Coastal hillsides of species habitat.